

# The Rustler.

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CERRILLOS, SANTA FE COUNTY, NEW MEXICO, FRIDAY DEC. 18, 1891.

\$3 PER YEAR.

**CERRILLOS LODGE, No. 19,**  
A. F. & A. M., meets at its hall on the first Saturday evening in each month.  
CHAS. F. EARLEY, W. M.

**VESPER LODGE, No. 15, K. of P.**  
Meets Tuesday evening of each week, at 7:30.  
Z. M. CRUTCHFIELD, C. C.  
D. J. JONES, K. of R. S.

**Church Directory.**  
M. E. Church South.—Rev. W. B. Jennings, pastor. Preaching every Sabbath, morning and evening. Sabbath school at 9:45 a. m. Prayer meetings Wednesday evenings.

**A. T. & S. F. Time Card.**  
Trains carrying passengers leave Cerrillos as follows:  
EAST:  
No. 2, Passenger, 3:10 a. m.  
" 4 " 5:42 a. m.  
" 38 " 11:08 a. m.  
WEST:  
No. 1, Passenger, 1:06 a. m.  
" 3 " 10:43 p. m.  
" 37 " 5:06 p. m.  
In effect Sunday Feb. 1st 1891.  
C. E. HARNEY, Agent.

**Local Rustlings.**  
Almost summer weather again. The delayed trains all got through yesterday afternoon.

With the night freezing the roads are greatly improved.

Ames & Gould have built an addition to their feed store.

A Denver capitalist has opened a bank in Cerrillos. It is a fair bank.

Ladies' shoes, new and elegant stock now in for the holiday trade, at J. H. Gerdes'.

Don't be backward about handing in your subscription. This paper merits your support.

If you want letter heads, bill heads, statements, envelopes or cards, give this office a call.

The surrounding hills show a little snow, but the valley in which Cerrillos nestles, is clean and dry.

An advertisement for M. B. Brown, the coal and merchandise dealer at the coal banks, appears in this paper.

New crossings are being put down in the yards at Cerrillos. Foreman Hale keeps these yards in very clean condition.

There is not to be any Christmas tree in Cerrillos this year, but do not allow the expectations of any little one to be blighted.

The RUSTLER regrets to learn of the continued illness of Mr. John Andrews, of Bonanza, one of the very best citizens of our county.

Welch, Miller and a lot of other fellows we know, will have their socks washed this week, apprehending a visit from Santa Claus.

The bad weather of last week has cleared away and we have tinted autumn sunshine again. Balmy air and eye-talian skies, you know.

The RUSTLER office has just received a fine lot of latest styles in job type and is better prepared than ever before to do neat job printing.

Long lines of coal cars are being loaded for the territorial and other markets. Consumers are rapidly learning that there is no other coal equal to the Cerrillos product.

F. H. Strong informed the RUSTLER yesterday that he has got the new Narod mill on its foundation in the Fisk mill and that he will likely be running one in a few days.

Capt. R. Williams, Chas. P. Hammond Thos. Kiddie and Dr. Meyers have each dropped three dollars in the RUSTLER slot this week, knowing of course, that, "we'd do the rest."

You can scarcely pick up a newspaper published in the southwest without something like this catching your glance: "We handle the famous Cerrillos Anthracite and Bituminous coal." Cerrillos coal is a good advertisement.

Word comes up from northern Texas to the effect that the man who shot and killed M. H. Hoxey in the Panhandle, has been indicted for murder in the first degree. At the coming trial Charley Isherwood, who was with Hoxey when killed, will go down as a witness.

A grand Christmas ball will be given at Hurl's hall on the evening of Dec. 25th, 1891, under auspices of Cerrillos Knights of Pythias and for which the tickets are now on sale. The boys getting up the ball will do their prettiest to give those who attend a good time.

A pool tournament, or free for all in the district, handicap, will be given at Dick Mathews' place on Christmas afternoon, the entrance money to go in first, second and third prizes to the winners. Southern Santa Fe county pool players are invited to join in the contest.

Rumor has it that S. P. Conger has sold his interest in the St. Lazarus property and that a request has been forwarded to the works at San Pedro for a statement of the indebtedness of the company, so that the same may be paid, after which the gold property will resume operations.

The Cerrillos school is doing nicely. Prof. Griggs is working hard and has got the pupils in good training to now begin to advance rapidly, or at least those of them who will take an interest. All in all, the prospect is much brighter and the showing much better than ever before.

Cerrillos should represent a natural bee-hive, and the drones, the idlers, the adventurers, the tin-horns and the sharpers—men who, individually and collectively depend on making a living off of the laboring men—should be given no place in it. Be hives! How long, for instance, would your healthy colony of honey gatherers remain healthy and prosperous, were such dangerous elements to their prosperity admitted to their hive?

It is rumored, whether true or not, that certain boys of the town; nice youths—are in the habit of carrying around with them certain poisonous drugs for certain vile purposes. If this is true their parents should flag them. If that would not answer, an indignant community should take them in hand. There is no species of criminality so vile and reprehensible—so worthy of condign punishment as that which seeks to destroy or render unsafe, virtue and morality, in any community, and the beastly black of the South, who is pursued with blood-hounds, captured, lynched and cut to pieces, is no more deserving of his fate than the youth in any community who criminally and wantonly pursues the same object, only in a different and more underhanded way.

The intonation of the revolver still rings out spiteful and distinct of nights, awakening the sleeper and startling the pedestrian who may be out late. No dead men are found and the cause of the shooting continues to be a mystery. In a land and government where civilization is supposed to have reached the high-water mark and where the carrying of pistols is forbidden by law under the severest penalty, why is it that this shooting cannot be stopped before somebody is accidentally or otherwise, hurt.

Since writing the above the revolver has got in its work and another grave will mark the result. Yesterday evening, between five and six o'clock, John Kennedy and Jack Kerr, who came here a few weeks ago and who engaged in a fight about ten days ago, renewed the quarrel in Kelley & Miller's saloon. Both drew guns and several shots were exchanged when Kennedy fell dead. Kerr appears to make his living by gambling. Kennedy was a sort of cook at Gresham's short order place. The two men came to Cerrillos together. An inquest was held last night and a jury duly empaneled, rendered a verdict of unjustifiable homicide. This afternoon the man Kerr was bound over to the grand jury and will be taken to Santa Fe. While there may not have been any serious objections to these two men killing each other, it is time—and high time, that a halt was called on this gun play business. The law is plain. Let it be administered.

**Personal Rustlings.**  
"Boquet Harry" is in town. John Welch came in to-day from the coal fields.

Richard Green has had a bad case of grip, but is better.

P. F. Hogan was among the visitors to Santa Fe last week.

Mike O'Keefe, the Las Vegas coal dealer, was in town today.

Wm Mallard is spending the winter at Cerrillos, enjoying rather improved health.

J. A. Jack-on is now on the city police force, acting as marshal Crutchfield's deputy.

Ross Uptegrove, who has been having a severe spell of the grip, is again able to be up.

Mr. Samuel Burger, assignee of M. Tannenbaum, was in town Thursday from Las Vegas.

Miss Maude McCormac departed for Albuquerque Tuesday night, to join her parents who have returned to that city from California.

The RUSTLER man has been rustling with the grip this week, so, if the paper is no better than he feels, please mark it a goose-egg.

Geo. B. Brady left yesterday morning for Trinidad, Denver, Kansas City and St. Louis, from which latter point he will return home.

W. H. Kennedy is attending the silver convention at El Paso. The delayed condition of the trains prevented others of the delegation from attending.

Dick Mathews made a business trip to Santa Fe Monday, and getting no train home from Lamy on account of the blockade, chartered his own train from that station to this.

Mrs. A. L. Kendall, who recently returned from an extended visit with friends in Denver, is suffering severely from a painful accident, she having sustained a fractured shoulder and severe contusions in a fall.

Mr. and Mrs. Hayes, who were living on Mr. Uptegrove's ranch down the Rio Grand, have moved to Cerrillos. Mr. Uptegrove and family expect to move soon after the first of January. Their many friends will greatly regret to see them go.

In this paper Mr. Thos. Kiddie, treasurer of the San Pedro church fund composed of a subscription partially sufficient, raised to build a Methodist church in San Pedro two years ago, publishes a notice that he will refund all money collected unless the Board of Trustees for the institution take other measures. Mr. Kiddie in his letter explains: "I have been unable to come to any agreement with the remaining Trustees as to the disposition of this money, and take this as the only course open. They will not accept my resignation as Treasurer and leave the whole matter in my hands. As this money was mostly subscribed on this condition, I fall to see but that this is the only straight and honorable course to pursue."

Buy your Christmas candies at Gerdes'. Largest, freshest and nicest stock in town.

There are many people who could serve their own interest by helping the RUSTLER, but they are of a class who would rather play the death from slow starvation of a creditable enterprise than to see it prosper—that class who have so long aided in retarding New Mexico's progress.

A fine stock of Ladies kid gloves, latest styles, just in at J. H. Gerdes'.

To be passing along the streets in the saloon districts and hear the negro dialect around the "crap" tables, one would think he was at a watermelon festival on the old plantation. The white niggers of Cerrillos are right when it comes to "Jodie pick de cotton" and "fever in de souf."

The Albuquerque Democrat has an interesting and wide-awake correspondent at Cerrillos.

## San Pedro Rustlings.

**MARRIED.**—At the residence of the bride's parents in San Pedro, Dec. 11, 1891, Mr. Frank Wilmarth and Miss Emma G. Castle, both of San Pedro. Rev. W. B. Jennings, of Cerrillos, performed the ceremony.

The RUSTLER takes especial pleasure in extending the hand of fellowship to the young married couple and wishing them conjugal happiness beyond compare. The bride is pretty and estimable—the groom one of the best boys San Pedro has ever known. Long may they live and prosper.

Overcoats can be had at your own figures at G. Z. & Co's.

**WANTED.**—To contract with responsible party to sink for water in vicinity of San Pedro. Address "Investment," care RUSTLER.

E. M. Cunningham has gone to San Pedro.

L. D. Sugar came over from San Pedro Tuesday. He appears to be well pleased with the way that camp is looking up.

R. Y. Anderson, of the Lincoln-Lucky, notified Richard Green to put his teams to hauling ore yesterday. He stated that two carloads was ready on the dump and that at least a car a day could be supplied regularly at present. Mr. Green sent his teams over yesterday, and they will make the first return trip with ore today. The wagons will be loaded with coke at Cerrillos for the trip to San Pedro for the smelter, so there will be no dead work about the hauling. The opening up of the Lincoln-Lucky will prove a big thing for south Santa Fe county.

Our stock of Boots, Shoes and Rubber Goods is now complete. G. Z. & Co's.

Mr. and Mrs. Geo. R. Bailey, of San Pedro, visited pa and ma, and friends in Cerrillos, the first half of this week.

All the latest styles of Dress Goods and Flannels, at G. Z. & Co's.

Leon Caron, once proprietor of the "Palace," at Golden, now has a neat and prosperous place on north third street, Albuquerque.

The Lincoln-Lucky is through to ore in good shape at last, and shipments are to begin at once. Mr. Richard Green has contracted to deliver the ore for shipment at Cerrillos. About 60 tons a day is expected to be the present output.

Don't fail to order you a new suit for the holidays, at Goodman, Ziegler & Co's.

Mr. F. Simonson is busy putting up the new Huntington mill, on the Lucas-Wright properties near Golden.

Goodman, Ziegler & Co. have now a fine display of holiday goods. Give them a call and they will try to please you.

## NOTICE.

On and after January 1st, 1892, I will refund all monies collected for the building of the M. E. church of San Pedro, unless the said funds are otherwise disposed of by the board of trustees. Apply to

THOS. KIDDIE,  
Alma, Clark Co., Colorado.

## NOTICE.

Beginning Saturday December 19, 1891, I will put on sale the entire stock of General Merchandise formerly belonging to M. Tannenbaum. Dry Goods, Ladies' and Gents' Furnishing Goods, Stetson Hats, Ladies' and Childrens' Shoes, Staple and Fancy Groceries, Show Cases, Counters and Shelving. This is a Bonafide Sale. The goods must go. SAMUEL BURGER, Assignee.

We have added Collins and Caskeys to our line of business, and can make prices as low as any house in the territory. CERRILLOS SUPPLY Co.

Remember C. Doyle for good and cheap goods of all descriptions.

## New Mexican Cullings.

Mr. T. Crisp Sanderson, metallurgist at the Cash Entry mine, is a guest at the Palace. He drove in from camp this forenoon.

Harry C. Hill, the depot crook who escaped from jail yesterday morning, was captured last night at Cerrillos by Sheriff Conklin's deputy, Mr. Long. He will be brought back to-night.

A letter from Fort Stanton says the soldier boys expect to reach here by Sunday morning next at furthest. The company from Fort Wingate has orders to leave there to-night for Ft. Marcy; whether or not the telegraphers' strike on the A. & P. line will delay them en route is a question, but if it does not they will reach here to-morrow forenoon.

Will Hall has received a proposition to walk to Cerrillos and back again in fourteen hours. The distance one way is twenty-eight miles and there are liberal wagers up on both sides of the question. The contest is to take place as soon as the roads are in condition. Mr. Hall to receive \$100 if he makes the round trip within the time designated.

The summonses in the cases of the county of Santa Fe versus Frank Chavez, ex-collector, were placed this morning in the hands of Sheriff Conklin by District Clerk Goshorn for service; there are 265 defendants in the suits. The name of C. H. Gildersleeve appears as a surety upon every bond, and he is a defendant in every suit. The sheriff has already commenced service of the summonses.

In compliance with the order of the board of commissioners, District Attorney Twitchell has filed a batch of highly important suits in the district court. They are five in number and are brought against the bondsmen of Francisco Chavez, ex-sheriff and collector of Santa Fe county, to recover the sum of about \$45,000 due the county as a result of that ex-officials "administration" of affairs. The papers in the cases make a voluminous record. There are some 300 persons involved and the five suits are brought against the sureties on the bonds of 1885, 1887, 1889, Nov. 1, 1890 and the latest bond of 1891. The records show the ex-collector's shortage since January 1, last to be over \$12,000. The suits are in the nature of an action of debt against all bondsmen. The amount involved is \$70,000 on each of the first three bonds and \$136,000 on each of the last two bonds.

The county's action in the matter seems to have created no little surprise and consternation among the several sureties. For some unaccountable reason or other many of them seem to have labored under the impression that all talk of taking decisive legal steps to recover these moneys was in the nature of a bluff; but such an idea has been dissipated by the cases going on record, and it is evidently the intention of the county authorities to force them to an issue with all possible haste.

The Santa Fe Southern road has received orders to ship several carloads of Cerrillos anthracite coal to Del Norte and other points in Colorado. It seems that Colorado's chief supply of hard coal now comes from the Crested Butte mines, and in consequence of the strike there the supply is running very short. As Colorado cities continue to build up they will naturally have to look toward the great coal fields of Santa Fe county for no small part of their fuel supply, and this order from Del Norte is the first gun that sounds the opening of a new and great demand for the superior wares of this region.

Next week's RUSTLER will be printed on tinted paper and will contain some pretty holiday stories besides an unusual amount of local matter. Only about 200 extra copies will be issued, and those wanting one or more to send to a friend, should call early.

The day's are warm and pleasant.

## Notes and Comment.

A good joke is related at the expense of a modest young Phoenix newspaper man. It is to the effect that the pusher of the pencil went out to report a party the other evening where the home had been recently blessed with a new baby. Accompanied by his best girl he met the hostess at the door and asked after the baby's health. The lady, who was quite deaf and suffering with gripe, thought he was asking about her cold and told him that though she usually had one every winter, this was the worst she ever had; it kept her awake at nights a good deal at first, and confined her to her bed. Then noticing the scribe was getting nervous, she said that she could tell by the looks of him that he was going to have one just like hers, and asked him to go in and sit down. The Republican was out as usual the next morning but the local editor has quit enquiring about babies.

Prof. E. G. Foote, in a paper read before a meeting of scientific societies in Washington, spoke of a geological formation that gave rise to some very interesting suggestions. His thesis was based upon the claim that in a collection of very remarkable specimens of meteoric iron found on the side of Crater mountain in Arizona he had discovered diamonds.

Crater mountain rises abruptly 432 feet above the surrounding plain. The walls of the so called crater, which are very steep and formed of sandstone and limestone, are tilted at an angle of 40 degrees. But as no lava or other volcanic products are found the hollow can not be considered a true crater. As this depression is of similar character to that from which the diamonds at Kimberly, South America, are dug, why should not diamonds abound in Arizona, New Mexico, and Mexico which are the richest regions for meteoric iron in the world?

Prof. Foote's theories, says the Jewelers' Circular, are among the soundest advanced in the sea of speculation on the production of diamonds in the past decade. But, as the conclusions of science are too often premature and too positive, the letter of the learned gentleman's proposition must not be accepted without the proof derived from thorough investigation.

**TEAMS WANTED.**—To haul ore from San Pedro to Cerrillos. The teams can load with coke for the return trip. Apply at once to Richard Green, Cerrillos, N. M.

Go to Mrs. Doyle's to buy your Groceries. Good goods, full weight and popular prices.

**FOR SALE.**—Large bay horse. Drives single or double. Or will trade for coal delivered in Santa Fe. Apply to John D. Allen, Santa Fe, N. M.

Best Family Flour at Ames & Gould's. Try a sack of it and be convinced.

G. Z. & Co have a grand line of Stetson hats.

## Christmas Presents.

The Cerrillos Supply offers for your selection the following list of Holiday Goods:

Roger Bros. Knives and Forks—Tea and Table Spoons. Carving Sets. Rochester Lamps. Large Assortment of Vases. Fancy Baskets in China Ware. French China Cups and Saucers. Toilet Sets. Toy Dishes in sets from 25c. to \$1.00 per set. Boys' Express Wagons. We wish to close out these goods and will offer them at low prices. CERRILLOS SUPPLY Co.

Ladies' trimmed hats at Goodman, Ziegler & Co's.